

REMARKS

Reconsideration and allowance are respectfully requested in view of the foregoing amendments and the following remarks.

Claims 1-3, 6-15, 19, 21-35, 39-55, 57-59 and 61-65 are pending in this application.

Claims 4, 5, 16-18, 20, 36-38, 56 and 60 have been canceled without prejudice.

Claims 1, 31 and 60 have been corrected to show the proper status identifier as indicated in the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment.

Should the Examiner have any further questions or comments facilitating allowance, the Examiner is invited to contact Applicant's representative indicated below to further prosecution of this application to allowance and issuance.

In view of the above, it is believed that this application is in condition for allowance, and such a Notice is respectfully requested.

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Respectfully submitted,

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